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## Clyde Powers, 27, Meets Tragic Death At Neon

Young Clyde Powers, about twenty seven years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb (Washie) Powers of McRoberts met a tragic death in front of the Neon Postoffice on last Saturday night or the very early hours of Sunday morning. According to information given out young Clyde and his wife had been on the outs for some reason or other and his wife followed and met him in Neon. She got in the car in which he and a U. S. Sailor were riding and an argument was started, there was also a .22 gun in the car. Clyde suggested to his friend that they go into the restaurant and drink a cup of coffee which they did. Coming back to the car Clyde took the gun from the back seat of the car and without examining it to see whether or not it was loaded, proceeded to break it up and taking hold of the barrel end he hit it over the curb of the sidewalk and the gun discharged hitting him in the abdomen. The injured man was then rushed to the Flemings Hospital where an X-Ray showed that the bullet had entered the spine. He lived only about 25 minutes from the time of the accident.

The deceased was held in high esteem among his friends which was shown by the many beautiful floral offerings. Funeral services were held at the McRoberts Baptist church and the Masonic Lodge of which he was a member had charge of the last rites. The body was taken to Hurricane, Va., for interment, a former home of the Powers family.

The deceased is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Powers of McRoberts and his wife and three small children as well as several brothers and sisters.

The Johnson Funeral home of Neon was in charge of the last rites.

Mrs. Fred Buchanan, Huntington, West Va. visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Black last week.

## NOMINATE - ELECT

"A Lawyer To Make Your Laws"



HARRY L. MOORE  
Republican Candidate

For  
REPRESENTATIVE  
Letcher County

## Admit Farm Women To U. S. Crop Corps

Farm women working on their own farms, or on other farms, now are eligible to membership in the Women's Land Army, a part of the U. S. Crop Corps. "We feel that farm women are making an important contribution in food production and merit special recognition. Extending membership in the WLA will help in this regard," said Miss Myrtle Weldon, state leader of Home Demonstration work. The plan has received national approval. Farm women desiring membership in the Women's Land Army should register at their county extension offices to be certified as members and to be eligible to wear the regulation uniform.

The minimum requirement for membership is one month's agricultural work. It may be done continually, or it may be done for one-fourth of the time for four months, one-sixth of the time for six months, and so on. Physical examinations and special training are not required of farm women.

It is expected that most of the farm work done by women will be gardening, tending poultry, candling and packing eggs, washing or caring for dairy utensils, making and packing butter, stripping tobacco, and picking, grading and packing fruits. However, other jobs on the farm, as handling machinery or driving the tractor, may be done by women if the need arises.

For further information call at your Home Demonstrations Agents Office.

MARY BELLE ROGERS

## MARTINIQUE JOINS THE ALLIES

Martinique, the French island possession in the Caribbean which has been a serious threat to allied naval operations joined the allied cause on Wednesday of this week.

Free French now have control and several warships and an aircraft carrier stationed there will join the U. S. and British navies, it was announced this week.

## Marie Collins, 17 of McRoberts Dies

Miss Marie Collins the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collins of McRoberts passed away at the Jenkins Hospital Saturday night. It is said Marie was a victim of Yellok Jaundice.

Miss Collins would have been a senior in the Jenkins High School this year. She was loved by the entire community and will be sorely missed by the younger set of McRoberts as well as in her home.

She leaves to mourn her loss her parents and three brothers, one is serving in the Army.

Burial took place in the Dunham Cemetery after impressive funeral services were held at McRoberts. Johnson Funeral Home of Neon was in charge.

## INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS DURING JUNE TOTALLED 456

"Industrial accidents reported to the Workmen's Compensation Board by the manufacturing establishments throughout the state of Kentucky during the month of June totaled 456, the highest figure for this industry in recent months," stated Commissioner of Industrial Relations William C. Burrow today. "This is the first time in several months that mining has not reported more accidents than any of the other eight major industries of the state."

Mining injuries decreased from 453 in May to 415 in June, which can be partially attributed to mine shutdowns last month. The construction industry, however, showed an increase of 24 over last month, rising from 95 to 119.

Accidents reported by all industries totaled 1,215 as compared to 1,169 in May. Fatalities rose from 5 in May to 12 in June, 9 of which were in the mining industry and 3 in manufacturing.

Louisville reported 174 industrial accidents, the greatest number shown by any of the chief manufacturing areas, which are predominantly defense sections. The Covington-Newport area reported 91 injuries in June, an increase of 60 from May. The Paducah-Mayfield area reported 15, Owensboro - Henderson 14, Hopkinsville-Bowling Green 10, Lexington 4 and Ashland-Cynthiamburg 4.

The Workmen's Compensation Board assigned 31 cases during the month of June and docketed 57. Total compensation paid on the 773 cases closed out totaled \$122,767.97. The Board approved 21 awards and denied 9 claims during the month.

## Allied Troops Invade Sicily

United States and British navies are pouring troops and war equipment into Sicily after a successful landing along 100 miles of the coast of that vital Island off the toe of Italy. The latest communiqué stated that dozens of towns and some of the largest sea and air bases had already been captured. Judging from the reports the Allies will have complete charge of the island within a few days.

Eld. Hays Shepherd, well known Big Stone Gap Minister is seriously ill in a Pennington Gap Hospital. Rev. Sheppard has a world of friends in Letcher County, he having preached many times in various sections of the country.

## \* IN THE POLITICAL COLUMN



### Democratic Party

#### For Governor—

Rodes Kirby Myers  
John J. Thobe  
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#### For Clerk of the Court of Appeals—

E. E. Hughes  
Harry M. Snyder

#### For Railroad Commissioner—

Paul Brown  
Brooks L. Hargrove  
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#### For Railroad Commissioner—

Harry F. Gaynor  
Hiram H. Taylor

#### For State Senator—

Dr. K. N. Salyer  
Dr. John C. Coldiron

#### For State Representative—

John S. Webb

#### For Tax Commissioner—

(Unexpired Term)

B. Dave Blair

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

#### In Memory of

BROTHER DOUGLAS I. DAY

Who Died June 12, 1943

#### —v—

Once again a Brother Member of The Eastern Star, having completed the designs written for him on Life's Trestle Board, has passed through the Portals of Eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the New Jerusalem and hath received as his reward, the White Stone with the new name written thereon.

And Whereas, the All-Wise and Merciful Master of the Universe has called from labor to refreshments our beloved and respected brother, and he having been a true and faithful member of our beloved order, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Hester Chapter No. 54, Order of the Eastern Star of Whitesburg, Ky., in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that we tender the family of our deceased brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

ARTHUR BANKS,  
ANICE FRANKLIN,  
SARAH BOWEN,  
Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Price had as their week end guest, Mr. Norman Downard of Louisville.

## \* IN THE POLITICAL COLUMN



### Republican Party

#### For Governor—

Simeon S. Willis

#### For Lieutenant Governor—

Charles B. Candler  
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#### For Secretary of State—

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#### For Attorney General—

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#### For Auditor of Public Accounts—

William E. Porter  
Thomas W. Vinson

#### For Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics—

Charles P. Cecil, Jr.  
Elliott Robertson

#### For Clerk of the Court of Appeals—

E. E. Hughes  
Harry M. Snyder

#### For Railroad Commissioner—

Clay M. Bishop  
Elijah Mills  
Mrs. Jno. W. Langley  
A. P. Justice  
Fount Rowland  
John C. Lawson

#### For State Senator—

Harry L. Moore  
James Harrison Collier  
J. H. Addington

#### For State Representative—

B. Dave Blair

#### For Tax Commissioner—

(Unexpired Term)

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## Crime on the Wane In Letcher

#### —v—

The Grand Jury returns show a record low which indicates that crime is on the wane in Letcher county. Only 13 indictments were reported, six for misdemeanors and seven for felonies. This report not only speaks well for the citizenry of Letcher county but for the officers and law enforcement officials as well.

It seems to us that many people are not keeping the late hours they once did. They are too busy mining coal, farming and putting up their winter supply of food instead.

We feel sure that the soldiers and service men from Letcher county who are stationed in various parts of the world will feel proud when they hear of reports like this.

Now if we can get rid of the international criminals, it will indeed be a pleasant world to live in.

## BULLETIN

#### UNCLE BOB DUNCAN

#### FOUND DEAD AT HOME

#### NEAR WHITESBURG

As the Eagle is about to be printed news comes of the death of Uncle Bob Duncan. The body is now at the Craft Funeral Home where friends may see him. The funeral arrangements have not been made as this is written.

ARTHUR BANKS,  
ANICE FRANKLIN,  
SARAH BOWEN,  
Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Combs and daughter, Genevieve, visited last week in Casey County.

## \* Home of John Griffin Burns on Cumberland

#### Farmer's Hold Potato Marketing Meeting

The members of the Letcher County Farmers Cooperative Association met in Whitesburg with Mr. G. P. Summers, Field Agent in Marketing and County Agricultural Agent to plan the marketing operations for this year.

According to information this was one of the oldest houses left in the county, it having been built around 100 years ago by the late Eld. David Maggard well-known pioneer settler in Letcher. Eld. Maggard was the Uncle of the late Eld. David M. Maggard, beloved preacher in this county for many years.

Mr. Griffin had purchased the home about a year ago from the Wilson Creech heirs, and the house and all its contents were a complete loss. No insurance.

## SUMMER ENROLLMENT AT U. K. ANNOUNCED BY OFFICIALS

Approximately 1,565 students, which number includes around 500 enrolled in the off-campus workshops being conducted in six counties, have been enrolled by the University of Kentucky for the first term of the 1943 summer quarter. The second term will open July 22.

Despite the drop of approximately 250 from the number enrolled for the first term last summer, at which time the figure reached 1,814, 26 Kentucky counties showed slight increases in representation on the state university campus. One student each from the Canal Zone, Central America, Costa Rica and Puerto Rico are registered for the first summer term, as are approximately 135 students from 26 states besides Kentucky.

Among those registering from Letcher County are Chester Sparks, Mayking; Patricia Elizabeth Parsons, Eolia; Mona Daniels, Seco; and Dana Margaret Ison, Blackey.

## HON. A. J. MAY VISITS

Hon. A. J. May, Congressman of our district was seen mixing and mingling among friends in Whitesburg and Letcher county this week. Mr. May looked to be in the best of health and seemed in high spirits. In discussing the war he said: "I think by the time we get Germany whipped that the Japs will be practically under too."

## Strike Ends At Elkhorn-Jellico

On Tuesday an agreement was reached whereby the miners of Marlowe who have been on strike for almost a month returned to their jobs. Work was resumed Wednesday cleaning up the mines and cutting coal and this (Thursday) morning a full force is working. The full details of the settlement were not learned.

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NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION

## 1943 Home Canning Hints Worth Remembering

### Blanching In Steam

Recent tests definitely prove that blanching vegetables in steam saves more essential vitamins than blanching in boiling water, Mrs. Julia Kiene, Director of Westinghouse Home Economics Institute reports. Blanching in steam is a comparatively simple process: Put about one inch of water in the bottom of a deep utensil and bring to a brisk boil. Place vegetable to be blanched in a wire basket or colander. Place that in the utensil containing the rapidly boiling water, cover tightly and steam. Steam for five minutes when canning or preparing vegetables for a quick freeze locker; when dehydrating or brining, steam until vegetable feels soft but isn't completely cooked.

### Don't Forget To Salt Vegetables

Salt should be added to all canned vegetables — one teaspoon to each quart. Make a habit of putting salt in the jar first where you can see it. Otherwise, as Westinghouse home economists say, you may either forget it or salt the vegetables twice.

### No Chemicals In Canning

Chemical preservatives should never be used in canning, warns Mrs. Julia Kiene, Director of Westinghouse Home Economics Institute. None of them is wholesome or necessary and some might be harmful.

### Safety First

All home-preserved vegetables, except tomatoes, must be cooked at boiling temperature in a covered container for at least ten minutes just before serving, says Mrs. Julia Kiene, Director of Westinghouse Home Economics Institute. Even if vegetables are to be used for a salad, they must be cooked first, chilled quickly and used immediately.

### After Processing

Don't ever invert jars after processing—it's an outdated practice, say Westinghouse home economists. Set hot jars upright on several thicknesses of cloth or newspaper. Avoid drafts. Don't move or handle jars for at least 24 hours—it takes that long to complete the seal. Screw bands may then be removed and re-used.

### Don't Fill Jars Too Full

How much headroom to leave at the top of each jar depends on what you're canning. Westinghouse home economists explain that fruits and such leafy vegetables as spinach and chard expand very little and require only one-half inch of head space; starchy vegetables such as string beans, limas, peas, corn and soybeans expand more when canned and need a full inch of head space.

Regardless of whether the liquid used for filling jars is boiling water or syrup, it must only just cover the food. The only exception to this rule is when canning by the open kettle method, and then jars should be filled to OVERFLOWING with boiling hot fruit.

### Announcements

We are authorized to announce that JOHN S. WEBB, Whitesburg, Ky., is a candidate for Representative, Letcher District. Subject to the Democratic primary to be held Aug. 7, 1943.

son, today. Although other strikes threatened, only three actually occurred in Kentucky during May the report revealed. In a sand and gravel firm, 14 workers struck for 1 1/2 days and 21 man days were lost. A strike occurred in the manufacturing industry involving 40 men and a loss of 20 man days. Another strike occurred in a utility plant, but only two workers were involved and immediate settlement prevented the loss of any man days.

Strikes threatened in manufacturing and in services but amicable adjustments made in each one. Controversies arose in these two industries and also in a construction firm and in the wholesale-retail field.

According to Commissioner Burrow, only one dispute demanded arbitration and it is pending.

"Although the number of man days lost in May is rather low in comparison to other months, the number of threatened strikes and controversies indicates some dissatisfaction among workers in various industries. These disputes must be amicably adjusted and the adjustments must be made as quickly and effectively as possible. If not, the victory toward which we are all striving will be delayed, not by the fighting men on the world fronts, but by the laboring men and women on the home front," stated Commissioner Burrow.

### RATIONING AT A GLANCE

(7-6-43)

(Valid in Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, and Kentucky)  
Blue stamps N, P and Q good through Aug. 7.

PROCESSED FOODS  
MEATS, CHEESE, BUTTER, FATS, CANNED FISH, CANNED MILK

Red stamps P and Q good now; R, July 11; S, July 18; all expire July 31.

COFFEE

Stamp 21 good for 1 pound through July 21.

SUGAR

Stamps 13 good for 5 pounds through Aug. 15. Stamps 15 and 16 good for 5 pounds of canning sugar each; apply at board for additional canning sugar as need arises.

RATIONED SHOES

Stamp 18 good for 1 pair through Oct. 31.

GASOLINE

No. 6 coupons in A book good through July 21. B and C stamps good as noted on book. A books should be renewed now. Get application at gas station.

TIRES

Next inspection due; A book vehicles by Sept. 30; B's by Oct. 31; C's by Aug. 31; commercial vehicles every six months or 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

Any one may do a casual act of good-nature; but a continuation of them shows it a part of the temperament.

—Sterne.

Human affection is not poured forth vainly, even though it meet no return. Love enriches the nature, enlarging, purifying, and elevating it.

—Mary Baker Eddy.

### HARDWARE

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Pure 50 Lbs. Cotton Mattresses—Special at \$8.95.

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Complete.

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Main St., Whitesburg, Ky.

Longest Sweet Potato Ridge In Letcher County, Maybe State, Maybe World.

Judge Zach Bentley of Neon says he has the longest sweet potato ridge in the county, he is sure of that, and he thinks in Kentucky and maybe in the entire world.

It took a steam shovel 5 weeks to build up the ridge, it took three months to get the ridge in shape and besides it took several thousand plants to set out the row. Judge says he believes it will take a steam shovel or a bulldozer to dig the potatoes.

The potato ridge is 10 feet high and if the potatoes grow to the bottom of the ridge much machinery will be needed to harvest the crop. Judge Bentley says the row is over a mile long and he challenges anyone to beat it.

The Steam Shovel which dredged the creek several months ago is to be given some consideration in helping to build the giant potato row.

Here's wishing you luck Judge Bentley. In reaping a fine potato crop. If you need any help with the harvesting we are sure the Army and Navy will help you. By the way, we wouldn't mind having a nice fat one baked with a little butter! How about it!

LOST—Ration Book No. 2 of Lacy Ford. Finder please return to Lacy Ford, East Jenkins, Ky.

LOST—Sugar and Coffee Ration Book. Finder please return to Elvira Collier, Democrat, Ky.

LOST—Ration Book for sugar—coffee—shoes. Finder please return same to—

—Mrs. Dora Webb, Mayking, Ky.

LOST—One ration book—(Sugar) in name of Blanche McSwain. Finder please return to—

—Blanche McSwain, Jenkins, Ky.

LOST—One kerosene stamp book. Finder will please return same and receive liberal reward.

—M. T. REYNOLDS, Neon, Ky.

LOST—Coal Oil Stamps, No. 229506. Finder please return

to Mrs. Willie Young, Kona, Ky.

### WANTED TO BUY

Portable Typewriter with small type. Will pay cash, or will trade Portable with large type. Call 95, Whitesburg, Ky.

### Smoot Creek News

(by Irene Maggard)

Miss Cuba Combs of Detroit Mich., spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Combs.

Messrs. Denver, Cecil and Ballard Maggard went to Cincinnati, Ohio, Tuesday to seek work. Miss Alta and Edna Maggard spent Sunday and Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Maggard.

Cpl. Elza Caudill is now home on a furlough for ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Caudill. Donald Adams, the little son of Kenny Adams is very ill at the present time.

Miss Ruby J. Frazier and Mr. George Frazier have gone to Baltimore, Md., to seek work.

Messrs. Hubert and Clayton Adams spent the 4th with their mother, Mrs. Arminda Adams.

Miss Mary Frazier of Charlestown, Ind., was a guest of Mrs. George Frazier, Thursday night.

Pfc. Grover Maggard spent ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Maggard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterlin Frazier and daughter, Shirley were the guests of Mrs. George Frazier Monday.

Miss Ruby and George Ann Frazier spent Saturday night with Miss Irene and Coleen Maggard.

Mr. R. S. Combs of Radford, Va., is spending a few days with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kiser are spending a few days with relatives here.

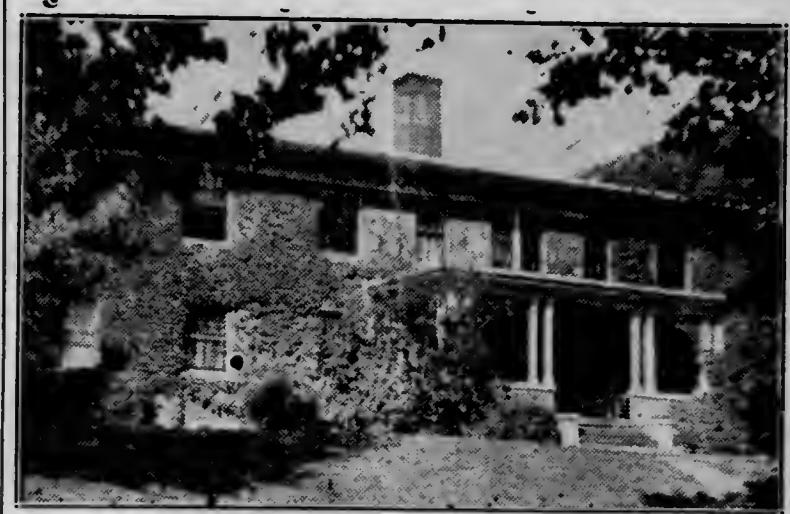
Miss Verneda Maggard spent last week with her brother, Mr. Lloyd Maggard of Breedings Creek.

A-c Dempsey Maggard of Ellington Field, Texas graduated from Bombardier school June 10th.

Mr. Carmell Frazier of Hazard spent Tuesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier.

Edward Maggard, son of Isaac Maggard is very ill now. Sgt. H. C. Maggard is now sailing, don't know where he is going.

### Boys' Dormitory at Stuart Robinson School



For Further Information write or see

W. L. COOPER, Superintendent,  
BLACKY, KENTUCKY

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La Rochefoucauld. This June 23rd, 1943.

### Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of D. I. Day, deceased, to please file same with me at the address given below, and all persons indebted to the estate of the above named decedent will please call and settle said debts.

MAGGIE DAY  
(Mrs. D. I. Day)

Administrator of the Estate of D. I. Day, deceased.

Whitesburg, Kentucky.



...or how to get acquainted in Mexico

Americans soon feel at home in Mexico. Down there you'll hear a new kind of *saludo* as homely as Main Street. It's *Have a "Coke"*. It means "Howdy, neighbor" from Terre Haute to Tampico. All over the globe Coca-Cola stands for the pause that refreshes—has become the symbol of welcome between friendly-minded folks.

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### Service on the Home Front

In this issue, we are running the first of a series of advertisements for the Standard Oil Company, which we commend to the special attention of our readers.

These are unique, in that they make no mention of Standard Oil products. They are designed to let the public know what Standard Oil agents, dealers, tank-wagon drivers, etc., are doing on the home front in the present war emergency.

The Standard Oil Company has been serving the people of Letcher counties for many years. They began this service back in the days when coal-oil and axle grease were their principal products, when roads were bad, and when serving the rural South was difficult. In those days, we didn't have electricity, and the people depended upon the Standard Oil Company for the kerosene to light their lamps. And good weather or bad, they always managed to get this kerosene to us.

When the automobile came along, they made gasoline and motor oil available from one end of Kentucky to the other. They've never forgotten their friends, who were their first customers. Today, wherever we drive, we're never far from a Standard station.

The Standard Oil Company of Kentucky is a good example of a Southern business organization—of the South, for the South, and by the South—serving the people of the South with necessary products of dependability.

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WANTED TO RENT—Wanted to Rent a house, preferably one with heat. See— MAURICE LEWIS or tte.

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9:00 P. M.



### Letters From Our Boys In The Army

Camp San Luis Obispo  
July 4, 1943.

Dear Editor:

Just a few lines to let you know The Eagle finally flew to California and I was glad to get it and to read the news of good old Letcher County. I am liking the Army O. K., but I am hoping the time will come so I can go back there to see my mother and father and girl friend. Us boys in the Army do not believe in strikes. If they were in the Army and got \$50.00 a month they would not strike. I would be willing to change places with some of the strikers. I am willing to do my part for the U. S. A. and all the rest of the service men are too.

There are some Kentucky boys here but only two of us from Letcher County. Hubert Freeman is with me. He is home now with his wife and baby. We hope to be coming back to those hills soon.

Pvt. Fred Caudill,  
Co. F, 63rd, Inf.  
APO No. 6,  
Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Camp Phillips, Kans.  
July 9, 1943.

The Mountain Eagle,

Whitesburg, Ky.

Gentlemen:

As a native son of Letcher County, I wish to express my thanks for the publication of the good old Eagle. We Letcher County boys out here in Kansas look forward each week for The Eagle and make a dive for it as soon as we see it pulled out of the mail bag, and by the time we have finished it, it looks as if it is ready for the paper salvage but we put it where we can re-read it during the week until the next one comes.

I am in a branch called the Field Artillery, and from actual observance, I can truly say that we have the guns that have the knockout blow behind them.

Although I have not been in the service very long, I can say that the Army is O. K.—with the exception of a few minor defects, such as sand and hot weather. We are still putting forth our best efforts to end this war so we can return to normal life, by normal life I mean such things as:

Sleeping until 9 o'clock in the morning, and then taking two naps during the day. To have a chicken dinner on Sunday, instead of stew and more stew. Where we don't have to shine our shoes until Sunday morning, and then hire one of your smaller brothers to shine them for a nickel.

Seriously, there is no better place for a young man than the Armed Forces. It is a physical builder as well as educational instructor, which will be an asset after we return home.

I am a graduate of WHS class of '42. I would like to hear from my old friends, so come on you Kentucky briar-hoppers, and grab a pencil and paper (If you can borrow it from the guy at the next bunk) and ask your 1st. Sgt for permission to drop an old friend a line or two.

Sincerely,  
Pfc. Elmer L. Bock,  
Btry "A" 274th FA Bn.  
Camp Phillips, Kans.

July 8, 1943.  
To my dear wife and children that I love and my mother and brother that I love so well: As I lay here in this Hospital it may look like that I didn't care for my family, but the Lord knows I do, because I

joined the army, I wanted to fight for my country and to show the people that I would die for my country and that it might keep my wife and sweet little children in a Free Country that I love so good.

Pvt. Clayton Combs,  
Station Hospital,  
Ward B7  
Camp Wolters, Texas.

Mayo State Vocational  
School  
Paintsville, Ky.  
July 7, 1943.

Editor Mountain Eagle,  
Whitesburg, Ky.

Dear Sir:

The closing of the N. Y. A. shops have left a good many people in your community with interrupted training courses. Doubtless such persons would be glad to know that they may resume and complete their training in Mayo State Vocational School, Paintsville, Ky.

Below you will find a brief announcement relative to training facilities of Mayo State Vocational School which are available at this time:

—v—  
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An Ode To Emil Hall

—v—  
There is a man here in our company, And at last he's on the ball. I believe he'll be sergeant Before the coming fall.

He lives in Old Kentucky And has lived there quite a while. Near the Town of Whitesburg Since he was a little child.

The folks in Old Kentucky Should give this lad a hand And try to boost his courage In our fight to whip Japan.

I'm sure that you will do it For he's known quite well by all Please print this in your paper Just to honor Emil Hall.

Written by—  
Pfc. Lloyd A. Gibson,  
509th Ordnance Co. (HM)  
Camp Carson,  
U. S. Army, Colorado

In North Africa.

Dear Editor:  
Just a few lines while in my spare time. I have changed my address and I am in a very hot climate here but I had a long and safe voyage. I don't like this place here. I have received two papers since I came over here, and I really enjoyed reading them. There are a great many U. S. boys over here, and they are the only ones you can talk with. There are lots of French boys over here in the service but they are in the French Army, great many French people live here. I have learned to speak a few words of French, but not too good. The country is real nice, and as beautiful roads as

you ever saw and as fine buildings as you ever looked at, but no place to go and nothing to spend your money for. The Arabs are awful mean, they will steal anything they can get hands on, or take your meal out of your messkit, in your own hand. They are awful looking people to me. When we came over sea, lots of the boys were awful sick, but it didn't hurt me at all. I could tell lots if I was allowed to, but I am not. As things are we are working every day, but I don't know how long it will last. So I will close,

Yours truly,  
Pvt. I. R. Whitaker  
Co. F 337, Engrs.  
A P O 464,  
c-o Postmaster,  
New York.

Harry Venters, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Venters of Seco, Ky., has been promoted from staff sergeant to technical sergeant, according to an announcement by his commanding officer, Col. Thomas D. Ferguson, in the Fifth Ferrying Group, Air Transport Command, Love Field, Dallas, Texas. The promotion was effective July 1.

T-Sgt. Venters attended high school at Fleming, Ky. He was president of his class his sophomore and junior years and played on the football, basketball and baseball teams.

Camp Murphy, Fla., July 8—Tech. Cpl. Paul Riddle, son of Isom Riddle, McRoberts, Ky., has been enrolled in a special course of instruction at the Signal Corps' school at Camp Murphy. Cpl. Riddle was selected for this specialized training on the basis of his aptitude.

Great Lakes, Ill., July 8—Backing up the fighting men in the U. S. Naval forces, Margaret K. Cornett, 24, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cornett, Whitesburg, Ky., is now ready to assume a vital job wherever she is needed. A member of the women's reserve of the Coast Guards, she was graduated from the training School for yeomen at Iowa State Teachers College, Cedar Falls, Ia., recently with the petty officer rating of yeoman, third class.

The Bluejacket was assigned to yeoman school upon completing a period of "boot training" during which she was indoctrinated into Navy customs and procedures. At Iowa State she was given a



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Lieutenant (j. g.) W. Rob-

ert Jones, a graduate of U. S. Naval Air Navigation School of Hollywood, Florida, has been here on furlough for a few days visiting with home folks. He has now left for Norman, Okla., where he will teach theoretical and practical navigation in the Naval Air School.

### NOTICE!

### "OPA ODD LOT RELEASE" on SHOES

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W. E. COOK,  
Whitesburg, Kentucky.

# CAUDILL-DIXON RE-UNION

The Twelfth Caudill-Dixon Reunion will be held on SUNDAY, July 25th, 1943, near Blackey, Letcher County, Kentucky, on the estate of the late Eld. James Dixon on Elk Creek.

The meeting will start as usual at 10:00 A. M., Central War Time.

Song by Congregation — "Brethren We Have Met Again."

Invocation — Eld. B. F. Caudill, Manchester, Ky.

Welcome Address — H. C. Dixon, Blackey, Ky.

Response — Emmett G. Fields, Whitesburg, Ky.

The pioneer James Dickson family — By Tobe Dixon, Paintsville, Ky.

The pioneer Isom Caudill family — By L. W. Fields, Whitesburg, Ky.

The Professional Ability of Families — By Judge R. Monroe Fields, Whitesburg, Ky.

Caudill Traits — By J. L. Hays, Whitesburg, Ky.

Recognition of Families from far and near — a "Get Acquainted Period" for forty minutes. Other speakers will also be present. If you cannot come, write us and tell us who you are and your letter will be read at the reunion.

12:30 P. M. A parting song and benediction, then dinner will be served on the ground. Don't forget to bring your eats.

J. S. HOLBROOK,  
ARTHUR DIXON  
B. E. CAUDILL, Pres.,  
STEPHEN CAUDILL,  
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**Mother In Sadness  
Receives Letter  
Of Condolence**

Camp Douglas, Wis.,  
July 9, 1943.

Dear Phoebe:

We received a letter from Gladys yesterday telling us that you had had another message about Billy. Some how I just couldn't believe but what you would hear better news instead of worse. I have thought of him, and of you and Hugh continuously since the first. Wish I could help in some way to brighten your sorrow, but I know how impossible that is by experience when you and I had to give up our babies—one by one as we did, right about the same time. We thought, and I remember us talking that that was just the hardest thing that could come to us, but I learned years ago that is not the worst, even when I gave up my only girl. I know it was best now and if little Kendall had lived he would have been in this awful war, and yours that died then also. We can't wish for them back and you can't wish for Billy back when he would still have to go on and probably be captured, tortured or meet death in a worse way. And we know with the good sense Billy had, that he prepared to meet death when he had to expect it every day. I don't think you should worry one minute about his soul's welfare, you know so many prayers have gone up for him, and I know he was a good hearted boy and so sociable. I always thought he was unusually smart, and I liked him so much. I will never forget him coming over to the porch and telling me he was going to enlist. But this war is all over for him and as for me and so many other mothers we still wait and wonder what news will come to us yet. With Archie in the air every day, and Colby on a P. T. boat again, you know our feelings. Just about 8 or 10 days before the news came to me that

Archie was wounded, I had such a vivid experience of him going down with his ship in battle, and I didn't dream it, but I plainly saw and felt it that way. I never slept any all night and Townsel caught me crying and talked with me a while, then as soon as he left at 7 next morning I sat down and wrote the poem which I am enclosing to you and when the news came that he was wounded I felt relieved, and felt sure he would be all right. If you learn any of the details as to how, and when Billy was lost I would like to know. I remember you saying you thought he might be with a bombing crew, or plane crew in some way. Archie Reid is taking training for a pilot, has been pilot of a plane for two weeks now. Soloed Sunday before last. T. C. said tell you and Hugh his deepest sympathy goes out to you both, but for you to be brave like Billy was.

—MINNIE.

—v—  
As I tossed on my bed at midnight

Praying for my boy at sea,  
I so plainly saw him in battle  
And the waves seemed to whisper to me:

Let not your heart be troubled  
But smile and hold up your head

Lean on God's promise, believe on his word  
That the sea shall give up its dead.

He chose to go, where duty called.

And it is only a part of God's plan

That waves sweep over those in the Deep

And grass covered mounds on the land.

Heaven is as near to our boys at Sea

As to any place on the land.

And those who die on the battlefield

Must return to dust again.

It matters not where the body is placed

And I am sure to you he would

say  
I would rather die fighting  
for Country and God,  
Than in any other way."

He has gone to that City the Lord has prepared,  
Where there is no sorrow, no wars, no bloodshed,  
No ships to go down on the ocean blue  
No planes with their bombs over head.

He'll be watching and waiting for you over there  
When this weary life has ceased  
And God himself will wipe away all tears  
His promise He always keeps.

Then hold up your chin,  
Mother dear,  
Don't forget our Saviour has said  
In the Resurrection morning.  
The sea shall give up its dead.

—v—

These words and thoughts brought so much comfort to me. I am sending them on to you, hoping you will not grieve too much because you can't have his body—that was one of the things that I use to worry so much about. When Archie was at sea, until, as I said I wrote this out and read it over and over—"That the sea shall give up its dead, just the same as the graves on land.

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NOTE—The above letter was written by Mrs. Townsel Adams to her good friend, Mrs. Hugh Combs, who lost a son as the result of the war.

LOST One war ration book No. 2 on June 10, 1943. Ration book was lost at one of the following places: Dunham, Ky., Jenkins, East Jenkins, or Neon, Ky. The book can be identified as follows: Name, J. W. Clifton, Sr. Serial No. 122 353DV. Height 6' 3" Wt. 170 lbs. Color of eyes brown. Color of Hair black. Age. 34. Finder please return to J. W. CLIFTON, Dunham, Ky.

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George H. Burpo attending Naval School in Norman, Oklahoma arrived in Jenkins, Thursday evening to visit parents and attend the wedding of his brother, Lieut. Howard L. Burpo, Jr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Burpo left Friday morning, July 9th for Tazewell, Tenn., where they attended the wedding of Miss Kathryn Davis and their son, Lieut. (j.g.) Howard L. Burpo, Jr.

The vows were taken at the home of the bride at 6:00 P. M., Saturday, July 10th, at Tazewell, Tenn. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Davis and a graduate in piano and voice of Milligan College, Milligan, Tenn. Lieut. Burpo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Burpo of Jenkins, Ky., and graduated from Georgia School of Technology.

He received his officers' training at Annapolis and was stationed on the Aircraft Carrier, the Hornet, later served in the South Pacific Islands. He has recently been assigned as Instructor at the Naval Training School at St. Simon's Island, Ga., where he and his bride will make their home.

George H. Burpo of Norman, Okla., was his brother's best man.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hollyfield, formerly of Jenkins, daughter Margaret Ann, and son, Ensign Ernest Edward, Jr. of Charleston, W. Va., passed thru Jenkins this week.

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Ensign Hollyfield graduated from the Naval Academy at Annapolis, June 9th and has been assigned to a destroyer in the South Pacific.

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Mrs. Margaret Stump left Friday morning for Knoxville, Tenn., and from there to Tazewell, Tenn., Saturday where she will be a guest at the Wedding of Lieut. Howard L. Burpo.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cheuning had as dinner guests Monday evening, Lieut. and Mrs. F. Leonard Farinash of Tucson, Arizona.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Johnson visited relatives in Ashland, Ky., this week.

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Dr. and Mrs. Fred Wom-

## JENKINS NEWS

(by Mrs. O. O. Parks)

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Vacation Bible School at the Methodist Church the last week of June was very much of a success.

The school was in charge of Mrs. H. L. Owens, a real worker with children. Mrs. Owens is superintendent of the Children's Division in the church school. Those assisting were Mrs. Homer Coleman, Mrs. A. D. Houghlin, Mrs. Will Bevins, Mrs. Martha Rutherford, Mrs. Charles Arlington, Miss Loraine Pratt, Betty Lee Smedley, Mary Lou Shubert, Patricia and Joyce Howze and Ralph Owens. All workers were very enthusiastic with their work. Delicious refreshments were served to the school when ended.

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Barbara Kegan who received serious cuts several weeks ago by pushing through a glass door while playing has been dismissed from Jenkins Hospital. She is now at home recuperating nicely.

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The Tuesday bridge club met at the home of Mrs. M. E. Prurity on the afternoon of July 6th, Mrs. Oscar Parks, guest, won high.

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The Thursday bridge club met with Mrs. O. O. Parks at 2:00 o'clock. Mrs. Virginia Perry won the Defense Stamps.

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### Jenkins Methodist

#### Church

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Sunday School at 10 o'clock, Morning Worship at 11 A. M. and Evening Worship at 8:00 P. M. Mr. Ralph Owens will have charge of the Youth Fellowship at 7:15 P. M.

Youth Training Conference will open at Barbourville, Ky., July 26. Registration fee \$7.00.

Welcome to the Church, Sunday.

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Haymond News

Mr. Clint Week and family have just returned from a visit from Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilley Polly who have been working in Cincinnati were visitors of Mrs. Polly's mother, Mrs. Conal Jones of Haymond, Sunday.

The young son of Mrs. Conal Jones, Mr. Charlie Napier who has been working in Cincinnati for several months has been inducted into the army and says he likes it fine.

A lot of folks have been canning berries this week. We are hoping the rain will cease so everyone can pick plenty of berries this year.

Mrs. Sissie Tolleriver of Tolleriver is celebrating the arrival of her first grand child her daughter, Miss Ossie Tolleriver is the mother of a nine pound baby boy.

There are a lot of soldier boys home on furlough now. We are proud to see them back, especially Bud Weeks who has been in Panama for some time.

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### Camp Branch News

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins of Cincinnati have been visiting relatives and friends for a couple of weeks. They were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Niece, Trace Fork.

Among those returning recently from Detroit, Mich., were the following: Bennie Craft, Hubert Mason, Millard Morton, Alex Hall, and Dan Niece.

Schools opened on Monday of this week with the following teachers in charge: Mrs. Carl Taylor and John H. Holbrook at Bowens; Mrs. J. Don Collins, Mrs. Ben Holbrook, and John Banks at Colson; Mrs. Joseph Profit at

Thornton Gap; and Alvin Profit at Beaver Dam.

Colson postoffice was moved recently from the home of Ben Holbrook to that of Watson Collins, Trace Fork.

Pvt. Dale Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hall, arrived unexpectedly last week for a brief furlough with the home folks.

Mrs. Kernie Sexton, Colson, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Hazard Hospital on Friday of last week. Her daughter is staying with her, and helping to care for her.

Vernon Niece and Bill Broughton returned to Detroit Mich., last Saturday.

Arlie Bowens has had to make three trips to Hazard lately, to have treatment for his eyes. He had the misfortune to get sawdust in his eyes at the sawmill.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thomas and family have moved to Sandlick, and are occupying a house in Taylortown. Mr. Thomas's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas, and their two daughters, Esta Mae and Bobby Jean, have given up their home in Cane Hollow and moved to Sandlick with the Carl Thomas's.

Randall Maggard, genial mail carrier on Camp Branch, returned last week after spending three weeks at Richmond, Ky., undergoing treatment for his eyes there.

The Regular Baptists held their yearly sacrament meeting at Bowen's Schoolhouse last Saturday and Sunday. Ambrose Bentley was baptized on Sunday.

Among those leaving this week for Detroit, Mich., were Frank Anderson, Everett Mullins, and Lenville Gibson.

### NOTICE!

There will be a meeting at the Old Indian Bottom church house on Rockhouse near Blackey on the First Saturday and Sunday in August which

is the 7th and 8th. Rev. Harry Harmon; Neice and others will attend. Everyone is invited.

Come one, come all, and let's have an old time handshake with a hearty welcome.

very truly yours,  
J. F. CAUDILL,  
Box 731,  
Cumberland, Ky.

### NOTICE!

Owing to sickness in my home I am unable to be away, therefore I am now asking the people of our community to pardon me at this time. I am at the bedside of my sick wife who has been in bed for six months, and when I can get away my work on the cemetery will continue in the same manner. So please bear with me good people.

WALTER R. WEBB,  
Sergeant, Ky.

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### Administrator's

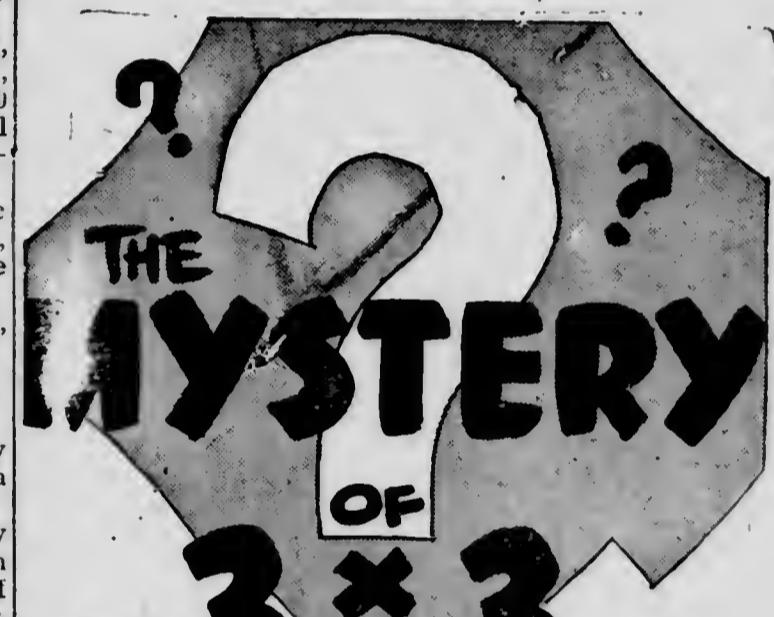
#### Notice!

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of J. Douglass Snyder, Jr., deceased, to please file same with me at the address given below; and all persons indebted to the estate of the above named decedent will please call and pay said indebtedness to the undersigned.

J. DOUGLAS SNYDER, III,  
McRoberts, Ky.

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—J. R. Lowell.



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REPORT OF CONDITION OF  
THE BANK OF WHITESBURG  
OF WHITESBURG IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY AT  
THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1943.

## Assets

Loans and discounts (including \$436.00 overdrafts)	\$268,139.27
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	957,225.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	5,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	846,105.20
Bank premises owned \$14,500.00, furniture and fixtures, \$2,900.00	17,400.00
Other assets	1.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$2,093,870.47</b>

## Liabilities

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,286,144.11
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	457,633.96
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	144,900.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	64,950.18
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	29,186.58
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,982,814.83</b>

TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) **\$1,982,814.83**

## Capital Accounts

Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	6,101.28
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	4,894.36
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$111,055.64</b>

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS **\$2,093,870.47**

This bank's capital consists of 500 shares common stock with total par value of **\$50,000.00**

## Memoranda

U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed to secure deposits and other liabilities **\$30,000.00**

TOTAL **\$30,000.00**

Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law **30,000.00**

Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets **1,305.99**

TOTAL **\$31,305.99**

On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was **118,417.10**

Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to **1,803,330.20**

I, Herman Hale, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERMAN HALE.

Correct—Attest:

B. C. BACH,  
R. D. COLLINS,  
STEPHEN COMBS, Jr.,  
Directors.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
COUNTY OF LETCHER, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of July, 1943, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer of this bank.

My commission expires July 5, 1946.

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For Lyter Donaldson  
In The Primary

(Editorial Reprint from  
Courier-Journal, Issue  
June 27, 1943.)

The Courier-Journal hopes it is not boastful in believing that its news and editorial columns account for a good part of what is known in Kentucky about the mistakes of Governor Johnson's administration and the sins of the political organization jointly headed by Mr. Johnson and Lyter Donaldson. Our news coverage at Frankfort has been extensive and our editorial reaction sometimes sharply critical. We can far more fairly be accused of having been a hair shirt to Mr. Johnson and Mr. Donaldson than of having displayed bias in their favor. Thus it is under no illusion that a state of perfect grace, administrative or political, has been attained at Frankfort that we give our support to Mr. Donaldson in the Democratic gubernatorial primary.

We do so because he seems to us to be the one candidate in the field who most nearly has the experience of government and the grasp of its problems—the experience and the grasp which will be the sine qua non in the difficult years that will lie between 1943 and 1947. He is hard-working and unspectacular and has demonstrated a very considerable capacity in private affairs and in public life. He has been an able administrator of the highway department. He is intelligent. He is the needed conciliator between groups as opposed to the ardent partisan of some special group against all the others. He has, as we believe, some vision of these portentous times, some acquaintance with the strong currents that flow and some idea how to steer this state's ship safely in them.

This last impression was confirmed by the address with which he opened his campaign the first of this month at Carrollton. It was free of the old political whoopee as if he sensed that the old political whoopee cannot apply in times like these. He promised nobody the moon, no income taxpayer or anybody else, and he was brave enough to state the truth that if Kentucky is to have a government equal to its minimum necessities and obligations the cost will be greater, not less. He was obviously aware that the central, under-lying obligation of state government now relates to the time when 150,000 or more Kentuckians in uniform returned to their homes expecting jobs, when thousands of other Kentuckians now in war factories seek peacetime employment again "that period," as he said, "when internal want and fear of unemployment could constitute a potential danger to the security and preservation of our democratic institutions on domestic soil."

When we speak of winning the peace, we have to remember that we must win it at home as well as abroad and that neither will be easy. That state will be only prudent which has the chief administrator of its government a seasoned man who will have thought and planned against the day and, what is equally important, set others to doing so. Mr. Donaldson's record and his platform give promise that he is such a man.

As candidate of the Johnson administration, during which he has been right hand bower, Mr. Donaldson naturally will have to answer for the administration in the primary. The Courier-Journal has been aware of the administration's shortcomings, as we said in the beginning, and has tried as a matter of duty in the public interest to make Kentucky aware of them. Nevertheless, the good has definitely outweighed the bad. The chief blot on the administrative side has been the purchasing division and on the party organization, if you prefer, machine side the alliance with the notorious Harlan County bi-partisan combine. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Donaldson inherited both

of these liabilities and obviously have been slow to clean them up. Nevertheless, we believe that this process is under way in both cases and the campaign will give both Governor and candidate an opportunity by word and deed to demonstrate the fact effectively.

At any rate, we look forward to the campaign debate, and to participating in it, without in any way yielding our right to criticize the Johnson administration and Mr. Donaldson when we think necessary and also with confidence that it will be shown that of the alternatives presented we have chosen the one that augurs best for good government in Kentucky. That is our one and only interest in the matter.

## Fire Fly

Ah! tiny little fire fly  
Flitting through the night  
Please tell me pretty fire fly  
Where did you get your light?

I suppose you burn a candle  
Yet I wonder if I'm right  
You twinkle like the little  
Stars on a summer night.

I can't tell where you come  
from  
And I can't see where you go  
All I can see is your little  
darting to and fro.

The katydids are singing,  
The crickets chirping too,  
I suppose they would all be  
in the dark if it were not  
for you.

I've heard the queerest fairy  
tales

About your little lights  
They say you have no light  
by day  
But I can't think that's  
right.

The fairy tales may not be  
right  
And then they may be true  
But cloudy nights would be  
so dark  
If it were not for you.

Oh I've really thought the  
matter through  
And I believe I am quite  
right

If God made the sun to light  
the day  
And the stars to light the  
night

Then he has need for all he  
made  
Though tiny things you are  
When nights are dark and  
cloudy  
You're his substitute for  
stars.

—MRS. JNO. VENTERS.  
July 4, 1943.

## Whitaker News

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bowman of Wise, Va., were visiting Mrs. Bowman's sister, Mrs. John C. Newsome of Whitaker, Sunday.

Mr. Elbert Mosgrove and children, Joy Faye, Gaynelle and Reba June were visiting Mrs. John C. Newsome, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Poore of Monroe, Mich., were visiting in Whitaker, Friday. Miss Irene Hall remained to Monroe with

Howard P. Bungert Hq. 196 A.A.A. Auto. Wpns. Bn., Sault Saint Marie, Mich., is home on furlough visiting his wife and children of Whitaker. Mrs. Bungert is the former Betty Salyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Isaac of Deane, Ky., and children were visiting Mrs. John C. Newsome, Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Craven of Neon were dinner guests on the 4th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Newsome.

Miss Herma Lee Bays was honoree at a birthday party at her home. Many friends attended and a good time was had by all.

Mr. Drexel Salyer, son of Mrs. Belle Salyer is working in Louisville, Ky.

Mr. John Lawson who has been very ill at his home is improving now.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hall and young son and Mr. and Mrs. John Shupe and small daughter have gone to Ohio to work.

Mr. Clarence Taylor has

gone to spend the week-end with Miss Anna Hampton in Rockwood, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Poore of Benham, Ky., were shopping at Euker Maytag on Friday.

Mrs. Sam Chance of Jenkins Ky., was visiting her mother, Mrs. John C. Newsom, the past week.

Seaman 2nd Class Henry Lewis, Jr., is home on furlough from Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He's visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and friends.

Pfc. Garlan Stidham, Jr., has arrived in New York after taking part in most of the battle of North Africa.

He is in the Hospital, but has written his mother that he may be home soon.

Sgt. Curtis Collins Co. H, 1st Sig. Tng. Reg., Fort Monmouth, New Jersey has returned to Camp after visiting relatives and friends.

Lt. John D. Collins, Hq. Q. U. T. C., Camp Perry, Ohio, has returned to camp after spending a few days with parents and relatives.

Mr. B. I. Collins, Mt. Vernon, Ill., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Collins.

Mrs. Lola Silvage who is

very ill at her home is feeling

some better.

Sgt. John Marks Sergeant

and wife were visitors at the

home of his half-sister, Mrs.

Herbert Cornette. He is sta-

tioned in North Carolina.

## Administrator's

Notice!

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Vandike Walker (Colored), deceased of Cromona, Letcher County, Kentucky, to please file same with me at the address given below: and all persons indebted to the estate of the above named decedent will please call and pay said indebtedness to the undersigned.

FRENCH HAWK,

Administrator of The Es-

tate of Van Dike Walker,

deceased.

FRENCH HAWK,

Whitesburg, Ky.

June 25th, 1943.

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# Local Happenings

By Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.

## AMERICAN LEGION PARTY GREAT AFFAIR

On July 9th the American Legion sponsored a most successful and delightful party at the Sweet Shoppe. Legionnaire Floyd Mercer turned over the place to the Legionnaires, who always make their meetings and parties most interesting and entertaining. The purpose of this party was to honor Sergeant Henry Williams, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Williams. Sgt. Williams having been decorated four times for courageous service to his combat organization and given the Silver Star, the Oak Leaf Cluster and the 19th Group Citation, Airman's Medal and having been cited for meritorious achievement while participating in an aerial flight over Vitiaz Straits, the local Legion thought it proper that due honor be shown him while on his furlough here. Commander Stephen Combs, Jr., president, introducing Judge R. Monroe Fields, County Attorney J. L. Hays, and Judge B. F. Wright, all of whom made rousing patriotic talks and expressed their admiration and thanks to Sgt. Williams and all the boys who are fighting for their country. The response to the affair on the part of the Legion, their wives and families was almost 100 per cent. Many friends were also invited and all the visiting servicemen who were in the city on that night.

Sandwiches, drinks and ice cream were served. Other special guests of the Legion were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams, and family.

## PICNIC ON SATURDAY NIGHT

In honor of their house guest, Mr. Norman Downard of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Price called a few friends to join them in picnic supper on Pine Mountain on Saturday night. Included were Misses Hester Day, Minnie Long, Mabel Mercer, Gertrude Draughn, Mrs. John Adkins, Lieut. Bennie Craft, Walker Pigman, Arthur Bas- tin, and Walter Kries.

Mr. Harold R. Early, Lexington, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Minalce Frazier at Hotspot, where Mrs. Early and son, Harold Combs, were visiting to be with her brother, Pfc. Clyde Frazier on furlough from Camp Pratt, Kansas. Also visiting there were Misses Mae and Henrietta Frazier, Mrs. Clyde Frazier and son, Henry Gerald.

## FAMILY PICNIC HONORING VISITING SERGEANT

In honor of Sergeant Henry Williams, a family picnic was given at the Williams Farm on last Wednesday evening. Included were Mrs. Dorothy Gregory, Ava Louise Gregory, Charles Edward Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Williams, Virginia Williams, Mrs. Cecil Baker, Joan and Jerry Baker, Mrs. Woodford Webb and son, Don Woodford.

Mrs. Ted Yonts and Miss Lucille Adams are visiting their sister, Miss Minerva Adams, who is employed in de-

## Stuart Robinson School News

Friends of Miss Hattie Lee Faires will be interested in knowing that on June 18 at nine o'clock in the evening at her home near Rock Hill, South Carolina she was married to George Beverly Petty, Jr., M. M. 2-c, United States Navy.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Neel, of Gastonia, North Carolina, Miss Faires' brother-in-law, assisted by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Somerville. Mrs. Lucy F. Dunlap, Miss Faires' sister, was matron of honor, Mr. Grier Petty, brother of the bridegroom, was best man, and little Lucy Ann Dunlap carried the wedding ring in a nosegay of mixed garden flowers tied with pink and blue showered ribbons. Mr. Fred Faires, brother of the bride, gave her away. Mrs. Palmer Williams played, and Mrs. Sandifer sang the hymns, "O Perfect Love," and "O Jesus, I have Promised." For the closing prayer, Mrs. Sandifer sang "Seal Us, O Holy Spirit." The room was beautifully decorated with swamp cane, white mixed flowers, and candles, the latter being lighted just before the ceremony by Mr. John Need, nephew of the bride. Miss Faires wore a two-piece suit of baby blue silk crepe with white and dark blue accessories, and her flower was a pink orchid. The groom wore his blue Navy uniform. Mrs. Dunlap was dressed in a two-piece suit of gay yellow butcher linen with white accessories, her flowers being white carnations. Lucy Ann Dunlap was lovely in a pink dress, with a bandeau of mixed flowers in her hair. Following the ceremony, there was an informal reception, after which the bride and groom left in a shower of rice and a well-decorated car for Charlotte, North Carolina, where they spent the night.

The following day they visited relatives in North and South Carolina, returning to the bride's home for the evening meal, after which they took the train for Washington, D. C. en route to Boston, Massachusetts, where the groom was located at that time. After a short but most happy honeymoon there at The Hotel Lenox, the groom had to take his departure, perhaps going overseas, and the bride returned to her home in South Carolina.

Miss Florence Gray enjoyed a month's vacation, leaving for North Carolina a few days after school closed in May, and returning about the middle of June.

Mr. J. M. Phillips, having reached the retirement age, has resigned, and he and Mrs. Phillips are now at their old home at Bear Creek, North Carolina. Of course they are happy to be with their children there, but we shall miss them at Stuart Robinson, after their many years of faithful service.

Mr. and Mrs. Winchester Coker, of Commerce, Georgia, are to have charge of the Boys' Dormitory the coming school year, and Mr. Coker will also have charge of the dairy. Mrs. Coker, as Miss Caroline Stacy, was a member of our faculty several years ago, and we are looking forward with much pleasure to having her with us again, together with her husband and their two attractive children, Mary Carol and Stacy Coker.

Mrs. T. S. Moore was recently called to Lexington because of the illness of her father, whose home is in that city.

Miss Esther Taggart, of Dallas, Texas, who was a member of our faculty the past year, plans to enter the Assembly's Training School, Richmond, Virginia this fall.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Cooper, Murray and Kitty Cooper, and Maxine Caudill are having a delightful stay at Montreal, North Carolina. Mr. Cooper expects to return to school during the week of July 18. One day not long ago, Murray Cooper enjoyed a short visit with Miss Margaret E. McNeill, head of our Music Department, whose home is in

West Asheville, near Montreal and she was indeed happy to see him; for he has been one of her favorites since he was just a small boy.

Mrs. Warren Corbett recently visited her husband, who is stationed at an Army camp in Florida, leaving their little daughter, Betty Louise, with her family at Montreal.

Miss Jennie Lee Crafton, who has been at her home at Woodland, Georgia since June 8, expects to return to school on July 23. On her return trip she plans to visit relatives in Griffin and Atlanta, Georgia, to spend the weekend of July 17 with Mrs. E. O. Knox at Rabun Gap-Nacoochee School, Rabun Gap, Ga., and to visit Miss Margaret E. McNeill in West Asheville, North Carolina.

Since the country schools in Kentucky have been asked to open earlier than usual in order to release the students to do farm work early next spring, our 1943-44 session is scheduled to begin on August 2.

## SCHEDULE FOR CANNING DEMONSTRATIONS TO BE HELD

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July 15, (Thurs.) 1:00 P. M., C. W. T., Upper Millstone School.

July 15, (Thurs.) 6:00 P. M., Isom.

July 16, (Fri.) 9:30 A. M., Colson School.

July 16, (Fri.) 3:00 P. M., Big Cowan School.

July 17, (Sat.) 3:30 P. M., Bottomfork School.

July 19, (Mon.) 5:00 P. M., Cumberland Valley Presbyterian Church.

July 20, (Tues.) 1:30 P. M., Deane School.

July 20, (Tues.) 6:00 P. M., Sergent School.

July 21, (Wed.) 9:30 A. M., Banks Post Office.

July 21, (Wed.) 2:30 P. M., Campbells Branch School.

July 22, (Thurs.) 1:00 P. M., Pert Creek School.

July 23, (Fri.) 5:00 P. M., Little Cowan School.

July 24, (Sat.) 1:00 P. M., Whiteo School.

July 26 (Mon.), 10 A. M., Blahey Presbyterian Church Basement.

July 27 (Tues.), 10:00 A. M., Kingdom Come School, Oscaloosa.

July 28, (Wed.), 1:00 P. M., Marshall's Branch School.

July 30, (Fri.) 1:00 P. M., Beefhide School.

Dates will be announced later for demonstrations at the following places:

Stuart Robinson

Farraday

Kona

McRoberts

Demonstrations have been held in the following places with a total attendance of 333.

Dixon ..... 9

Blair Branch ..... 4

Linefork ..... 150

Doty ..... 15

Whitesburg ..... 15

Ermine ..... 25

Head of Cumberland ..... 35

Jenkins ..... 35

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## JUDGE W. S. TOLLIVER PURCHASES FARM ON MILL CREEK

Judge W. S. Tolliver of Neon purchased the Tom Haymond farm located on head of Mill Creek near Beaver Gap. The farm is known as the Lute Hall farm and is rated as one of the best in the county. At present 13.6 acres of bottom land is growing a fine crop of corn and is under the management of Mr. Noah Gibson.

Paul is on a 30 day leave from Guadalupe and tells a remarkable story of what our boys did for their country.

Mrs. Paul Crase of Monroe

Bridge, Mass., was awaiting

Paul's arrival at Mr. and Mrs.

Herman's Crase's of Louis-

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Ellis Tinsley Ison

Ellis Tinsley Ison, age 10,

son of Tinsley and Cinda

Smith Ison died at his home

on Rockhouse as a result of

injuries received from a rock

fall while picking blackber-

ries.

He leaves to mourn his loss

his father and mother and four

brothers and three sisters.

Burial at family cemetery

on Rockhouse, Friday, July 9.

Revs. Kirby Ison and Tip

Cornett were the officiating

ministers. Johnson's

in charge.

Wire Building...Ed Williams.

## Gus Donald Adams

Gus Donald Adams, 2 1/2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Adams, died in Hazard Hospital July 12th after an illness of only a few days. Besides his parents and grandparents he leaves to mourn two brothers, G. Bennett and Douglas Jean.

Funeral services were held at the home on Smoot Creek. Wednesday, July 14th with Revs. G. Bennett Adams, Kirby Ison, officiating. Burial at Adams Cemetery on Smoot Creek with Johnson's in charge of the body.

SECO NOTES

Billy Wayne Wright, son of Dr. B. F. Wright of Seco, who recently graduated from Fork Union Military College is spending a short vacation at home with his father and sister, Mrs. Ed. McClelland. Young Wright expects to leave very soon for service with Uncle Sam.

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Lt. Ed. McClelland was an overnight guest of his wife, Mrs. McClelland at her home in Seco Tuesday night. He was enroute to Fort Knox, Ky., where he thinks he will be temporarily stationed.

Mrs. Fanny McBride of Wise, Va., underwent an appendectomy at the Seco hospital on Tuesday where she is at this time doing as well as can be expected considering the seriousness of her condition.

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Mrs. Ted Cook underwent a major operation at the Seco Hospital on Wednesday morning. Dr. B. F. Wright, supervising, and the new surgeon doing the operating. The new surgeon is Dr. Benjamin Glezer who recently joined the Seco Staff. Dr. Glezer is a graduate of Bologna college in Italy and has interned at Johns Hopkins and Good Samaritan in Lexington.

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## VISITING AT THE HOME OF JOHN D. COLLINS

Recent visitors at the home of John D. Collins of Whitewater were Lt. John D. Collins, Jr., of Camp Perry, Ohio, Pvt. Curtis Collins of Fort Monmouth, N. J., who is in the Signal Corps. And B. I. Collins also a government employee who is located in Illinois. B. I. is with the F.B.I. They came home to visit their sister, Mrs. Ford Selvage who has been ill for some time.

Pvt. Collins was also a visitor of Mrs. Curtis Collins, while here. Curtis was at one time employed by the Whitesburg Wholesale Co., and is well known throughout the county.

## MR AND MRS. PAUL CRASE GUESTS OF FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Profitt of New Albany, Indiana had as their dinner guests Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crase. Mrs. Herman Crase and Silas Crase of Louisville, Kentucky, Mrs. Bill Mosgrove and children, Billie and Bobby of New Albany, Indiana, Mrs. Charlie Austin and sister, Janice also of New Albany, Indiana.

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## Invocation

## Luncheon

## Introduction of Visiting Ro-

## tarians and Guests.

## Announcements

## Committee Reports and Dis-

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